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Title: METHOD AND TOOL FOR FORMING A BRACKET IN COMPOSITE MATERIAL AND BRACKET

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☐ An appeal BRIEF is attached in the pending appeal of the above-identified application

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☐ A reply brief is attached.

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☒ Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review form attached.

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